<u>REMARKS</u>

Entry of this amendment and favorable reconsideration of this application are respectfully

requested.

Claims 1-24 are pending in this application.

Submitted herewith is a Sequence Listing in both computer readable form and in a paper

copy. The content of the paper copy and the computer readable form are the same and include no

new matter.

Replacement Figure 9B is provided. The originally submitted figure did not contain

SEQ. ID NO. 34. The new figure does contain SEQ. ID NO. 34.

In view of the foregoing, this application is believed to be in condition for allowance.

Such early and favorable action is earnestly solicited.

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